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FOR: D/HA/ORM

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SREF, VS
SUBJECT: VIETNAMESE NEW BOAT REFUGEE VO THANG FAMILY OF 1

REF: A. BANGKOK 25292 (VF) B. BANGKOK 25455 (BIO)

1. SUBJECT REFUGEE HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM A CLAYMAN GRIMES STATING THAT HE HAS RECEIVED PHONE CALL FROM SEN. HOLLINGS (S. CAROLINA). SEN. HOLLINGS TOLD MR. GRIMES THAT VO THANG HAS BEEN ACCEPTED FOR PAROLE INTO THE U.S. UNDER A "SPECIAL REFUGEE PROGRAM". HE ALSO STATED THAT AMBASSADOR WHITEHOUSE INTERCEDED ON HIS BEHALF.

2. LAST WEEK A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT WENT TO SONGKHLA, ACCOMPANIED BY A UNHCR REPRESENTATIVE. THE UNHCR REP TOLD VO THANG HE HAD NO RPT NO CHANCE TO GO TO THE U.S. ON THE BASIS OF THIS INFORMATION THANG APPLIED FOR THE FRENCH PROGRAM AND WAS ACCEPTED. HIS HIGH QUALIFICATIONS MADE ACCEPTANCE BY ANY COUNTRY EASY.

3. VO THANG IS TO BE BROUGHT TO BANGKOK 26 SEPTEMBER 1976 FOR DEPARTURE TO FRANCE.

4. POST REQUESTS TO KNOW IF VO THANG HAS BEEN APPROVED FOR A RECOUP "A" NUMBER AND IF, BECAUSE OF HIS QUALIFICATIONS, HE MAY STILL BE CONSIDERED FOR U.S. PAROLE. ADVISE.
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